

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Bones et al.**

Serial No.: **09/740,400**

Filed: **December 18, 2000**

For: **Incorporating Password Change Policy
into a Single Sign-On Environment**

§ Group Art Unit: **2131**

§ Examiner: **Henning, Matthew T.**

§ Attorney Docket No.: **AUS920000798US1**

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

A fee of \$100.00 is required for two (2) additional dependent claims in excess of the 57 claims previously paid for. Please charge this fee to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No additional fees are believed to be necessary. If, however, any additional fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

In response to the Office Action of October 18, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.